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I. INTRODUCTION

The interplanetary trajectories of interest here are the flyby and swingby type trajectories. These trajectories, in general, depart from planet A, pass close by and are perturbed by an intermediate planet B, and arrive at a target planet C. The JPL Space Trajectories Program* uses a linear search routine, but a linear search between planets A and C is not practical because of the perturbation of the trajectory by planet B. Hand perturbations of the independent parameters at planet A are ineffective in adjusting target parameters at C. The targeting technique presented here will allow target parameters at planet B to be defined such that a targeting at C will occur. This allows the use of the present JPL linear search routine to be used for targeting at planet B.

The targeting technique is applied to the 1975 Venus conjunction flyby mission where A = Earth, B = Venus, and C = Earth.

* This JPL computer program is a high accuracy program employing either Encke's or Cowell's method of integration as desired. It uses precision ephemerides as described by JPL Technical Release No. 34-239 and an oblate earth potential function containing the second, third, and fourth spherical harmonics. Gravitational effects of Sun, Venus, Earth, Moon, Mars, and Jupiter are considered. This program is described in detail in JPL Technical Report No. 32-223.

II. TARGETING TECHNIQUE

Flyby or swingby interplanetary trajectories depart from planet A*, pass close by an intermediate planet B*, and arrive at a target planet C*. If $A = C$, the trajectory is called a B flyby trajectory, and if $A \neq C$, the trajectory is called a B swingby trajectory. Figure 1 shows a typical Venus flyby trajectory where $A = \text{Earth}$, $B = \text{Venus}$, and $C = \text{Earth}$.

Knowing the relation between the planets of interest (dates, heliocentric longitude, etc.) and the approximate trip times from A to B and B to C, we can easily find the flyby or swingby trajectories by two-body approximating conic programs [6, 7]. Using the conic program, we determine the flyby or swingby trajectories by analyzing groups of A to B trajectories and B to C trajectories. The conditions necessary at B to insure a flyby or swingby trajectory are as follows: (1) the time of arrival at B from the A to B trajectory must equal the depart time for the B to C trajectory and (2) the arrival hyperbolic excess velocity magnitude from the A to B trajectory at B must equal the depart hyperbolic excess velocity magnitude for the B to C trajectory. With these conditions met, the angle between the arrival hyperbolic excess velocity vector and the depart hyperbolic excess velocity vector, which is the bend angle, determines the radius of closest approach (RCA) at B. With conditions (1) and (2) met at B, the trajectory from A to B is said to be merged with the trajectory from B to C, thus yielding a flyby or swingby trajectory. Reference 6 describes a program which has the above conditions automated, and the selection of RCA is left for the analyst. Venus swingby trajectory opportunities with respect to Earth-Mars and Mars-Earth trajectories can be found in References 2 and 9 and flyby trajectories to Mars and Venus can be found by using References 8 and 10.

Two-body approximating conic trajectories are good for preliminary analysis. However, for detail mission analysis where communication distances, communication angles, tracking requirements, and point by point time histories are needed, a precision integrated trajectory becomes necessary. Here, in particular, the nominal or reference free flight trajectory is of importance.

The JPL Space Trajectory Program [3, 5] is used to determine the integrated flyby or swingby trajectory. As presently used, the JPL program employs a targeting method which provides the capability of finding A to B type trajectories. To clarify terminology, the JPL targeting method will be discussed briefly.

* A, B, and C are used to refer to planet A, planet B, and planet C, respectively.

The JPL trajectory targeting method is the $N \times N$ Newton-Raphson scheme as defined in Reference 5. In this scheme, a nominal trajectory to B, usually using conditions from approximating conic trajectories, is made to establish a column matrix of miss components, \bar{P} . The N^2 partials are obtained by N perturbed trajectories and differencing. Having obtained a matrix M of partials, the search routine solves the equation

$$M \Delta \bar{X} = \bar{P} \quad (1)$$

to obtain incremental conditions, as represented by the column matrix ΔX , at A to null the miss components at B. The partials found by differencing are used for three iterations and then are recomputed. This procedure is repeated until the miss components are driven to zero or within some convergence tolerance.

The miss components are the differences between the desired dependent variables at B and the values obtained in the nominal trajectory. The dependent variables are usually the two components of the impact parameter \bar{B} and the time of flight, T_F , from A to B or hyperbolic excess velocity, V_H , on arrival at B. The two components of the impact parameter \bar{B} are known as the JPL targeting system [5] or the $\bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}$, $\bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}$ system.

The $\bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}$, $\bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}$ target system as used in the JPL Space Trajectory Program [3] will be described. In Figures 2 and 3, \hat{S} is a unit vector parallel to the incoming asymptote referenced to the center of target or planet of interest, \hat{T} is a unit vector parallel to or lying in the plane of interest (ecliptic plane, earth's equatorial plane, etc.) and perpendicular to \hat{S} , and \hat{R} completes the orthogonal system \hat{R} , \hat{S} , and \hat{T} . The vector \bar{B} lies in the $\hat{R} - \hat{T}$ plane and perpendicular to the approach asymptote (see Figures 2 and 4). \bar{B} has the magnitude of the semi-major axis, b , of the approach hyperbola. In Figure 5, looking at the $\hat{R} - \hat{T}$ plane, we see that $\bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}$ and $\bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}$ are the projections of \bar{B} on \hat{R} and \hat{T} , respectively.

Injection conditions at A are usually referred to as the independent variables for the search procedure. These independent variables as used here are (1) T_L , launch time of day which, in conjunction with a specified earth launch azimuth, establishes a specific departure orbit, (2) T_{CO} , the departure point or coasting time in the specified earth orbit, and (3) T_{BU} , the thrusting time of the earth escape maneuver.

Now using the independent variables T_L , T_{CO} , T_{BU} and the dependent variables $\bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}$, $\bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}$, V_H , the elements in equation (1) become

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial \bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}}{\partial T_L} & \frac{\partial \bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}}{\partial T_{CO}} & \frac{\partial \bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}}{\partial T_{BU}} \\ \frac{\partial \bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}}{\partial T_L} & \frac{\partial \bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}}{\partial T_{CO}} & \frac{\partial \bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}}{\partial T_{BU}} \\ \frac{\partial V_H}{\partial T_L} & \frac{\partial V_H}{\partial T_{CO}} & \frac{\partial V_H}{\partial T_{BU}} \end{bmatrix} \quad (2)$$

$$\Delta \bar{X} = \begin{bmatrix} \Delta T_L \\ \Delta T_{CO} \\ \Delta T_{BU} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{at planet A} \quad (3)$$

$$\bar{P} = \begin{bmatrix} \Delta \bar{B} \cdot \hat{T} \\ \Delta \bar{B} \cdot \hat{R} \\ \Delta V_H \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{at planet B} \quad (4)$$

The procedure for obtaining these values is as described above.

Since the flyby or swingby trajectory is hyperbolic about B, the set of dependent variables above are linear for reasonable perturbations of the independent variables. This linearity arises from the fact that, with small perturbations of the independent variables at A, the hyperbolic excess velocity vector is translated and not rotated at planet B [5].

After finding the desired conditions at planet B, as specified from the approximating conic conditions, the trajectory is allowed to continue by B, and its relationship to planet C is observed. From Reference 10 and from experience in obtaining flyby trajectories, the first try usually has a large RCA at C (approximately 6×10^6 km for Venus flyby and Mars flyby trajectories where C = Earth). Attempts to move the conditions at B to reduce the RCA at C by using various curve-fitting schemes and manual perturbations of independent variables at A yield trajectories which return to C with first order of magnitude improvements (3×10^5 km for Venus flyby and Mars flyby trajectories where C = Earth).

Reference 4 has shown that the effects at C from errors occurring in hyperbolic excess velocity (V_H), right ascension (α) and declination (δ) of the incoming asymptote, and time of flight from A to B (T_{A-B}) at B are small in comparison to errors in the impact parameter components ($\bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}$ and $\bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}$) at B. Targeting at C from flyby or swingby conditions at B will be described in terms of the impact parameter components at B and C. The effects of small perturbations in the impact parameter components at B on the impact parameter component at C must be found and used in a manner to obtain desired changes at B to null the errors in the impact parameter components at C, thus targeting the trajectory at C. From Reference 4, the variation in impact parameter components at B and their effects on target parameters at C are given by the R matrix:

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial \bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}_C}{\partial \bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}_B} & \frac{\partial \bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}_C}{\partial \bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}_B} \\ \frac{\partial \bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}_C}{\partial \bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}_B} & \frac{\partial \bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}_C}{\partial \bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}_B} \end{bmatrix}^{**} \quad (5)$$

By knowing the R matrix, changes in impact parameter components at B produce associated changes in impact parameter components at C.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \Delta \bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}_C \\ \Delta \bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}_C \end{bmatrix} = R \begin{bmatrix} \Delta \bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}_B \\ \Delta \bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}_B \end{bmatrix} \quad (6)$$

** Subscripts B and C indicate planet B and C, respectively.

However, the desired conditions at C are known and the conditions at B are desired in order to target the flyby or swingby trajectory at B.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \Delta \bar{\mathbf{B}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{T}}_B \\ \Delta \bar{\mathbf{B}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{R}}_B \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{R}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} \Delta \bar{\mathbf{B}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{T}}_C \\ \Delta \bar{\mathbf{B}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{R}}_C \end{bmatrix} \quad (7)$$

Using equations (7) and (1), and the R matrix, we can find the desired changes in impact parameter components at C, and finally the needed changes in impact components at B. The process for finding the "best" trajectory is an iterative process. "Best" is used to mean (1) convergence to the desired conditions at C or (2) that the desired changes at B fall within a convergence tolerance.

Figure 6 shows a simplified logic flow diagram of the above procedure for obtaining targeting at C using the JPL Space Trajectory Program.

In the next section, the targeting technique is used to obtain a flyby trajectory where A = Earth, B = Venus and C = Earth. Only the targeting technique from B to C will be discussed in detail, since adequate documentation of the JPL targeting method is found in References 3, 5, and 10.

III. VENUS FLYBY TRAJECTORY

In phase I of the Manned Venus/Mars Flyby Study [10], minimum weight in earth-orbit missions for various Venus conjunctions are presented. The minimum weight in Earth orbit mission for the 1975 Venus conjunction was selected from Reference 10 to illustrate the targeting technique where A = Earth, B = Venus, and C = Earth and to provide a reference trajectory for phase II of the Manned Venus/Mars Flyby Study for the 1975 Venus conjunction.

Using the two-body conic program to establish a preliminary trajectory, a trajectory having the characteristics given in Table 1 was chosen. This is a free flight trajectory which departs Earth (A) on June 7, 1975, passes Venus (B) on October 2, 1975, and returns to Earth (C) on June 7, 1976, for a total trip time of 366.4 days. A typical 1975 Venus trajectory is shown in Figure 1.

The conic arrival and depart conditions at Venus were used to establish the $\bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}_Q^*$, $\bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}_Q$ and V_{H_Q} for the initial dependent search parameters. The JPL trajectory targeting method was used with the independent search parameters, T_L , T_{CO} , and T_{BU} . A converged trajectory from Earth was obtained. This trajectory was allowed to continue past Venus and to return toward the Earth. The RCA at Earth return was 5,696,092 km. Conditions on this first pass trajectory are given in Table 2, Column 1.

The perturbed trajectories were found using the same procedure as discussed above and are tabulated in Table 2, Columns 2 and 3. With these conditions, the R matrix was computed and is tabulated in Table 2B as First R Matrix. Using this R matrix and equation (7) of Section II, the $\Delta \bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}_Q$ and $\Delta \bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}_Q$ were calculated and are shown in Table 2, Column 4. (Note: Desired $\bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}_\oplus = 13430$ km and $\bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}_\oplus = 50$ km.) With a new $\bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}_Q$ and $\bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}_Q$, a trajectory was found as shown in Table 2, Column 5 where the RCA at Earth is 687,691 km. This procedure continued for two more iterations as seen in Table 2. A new R matrix was then calculated (Table 2B, Second R Matrix) and used for one iteration (Table 2A, Column 5). This trajectory, Table 2A, Column 5, yielded a $\Delta \bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}_Q$ and $\Delta \bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}_Q$, Table 2A, Column 6, less than the convergence tolerance of 1.5 km used in the JPL Space Trajectories Program [3]. The "best" trajectory was then printed in detail.

The conic trajectory and integrated trajectory are compared in Table 1. The hyperbolic excess velocities leaving Earth, arriving and departing Venus, and arriving Earth are in close agreement. This agreement confirms that conic approximation assumptions used in calculating weight in Earth orbit of Reference 10 are valid.

For purposes of communication between the spacecraft and Earth, for the 1975 Venus flyby trajectory, Figures 7, 8, and 9 show the pertinent communication angle and distances from Earth and Venus. A maximum distance from Earth of 117,360,440 km occurs 190 days after injection.

Table 3 is a tabulation of the thrusting trajectory for the Earth escape maneuver. The initial weight is based on Reference 10 where two J-2 engines are used in the Earth escape stage for the minimum weight Venus mission during the 1975 conjunction. Thrusting is along the vehicle's longitudinal axis and in the plane of motion. This trajectory starts from a 485 km orbit on June 7, 1975 at 6 hours, 49 minutes, and 27.591 seconds past midnight, GMT. The 485 km Earth orbit was chosen

* \hat{T} is referenced to Earth equatorial plane. Subscripts Q and \oplus refer to Venus and Earth, respectively.

for its rendezvous and lifetime characteristics, both of which are important for manned missions involving earth orbital operation. Figure 10 illustrates the coordinate systems used in the trajectory tabulations.

Table 4 is a listing of various trajectory parameters for the Venus flyby trajectory. The trajectory is tabulated in five phases: (1) Earth Depart, (2) Heliocentric Earth-Venus, (3) Aphrodiocentric, (4) Heliocentric Venus-Earth, and (5) Earth Return. After a thrusting period of 393.6 seconds (Table 3), the spacecraft reaches mission injection on June 7, 1965, at 6 hours, 56 minutes, and 1.192 seconds, GMT, with a hyperbolic excess velocity of .1091 EMOS. The time from injection to pericenter passage at Venus is 116 days, 0 hours, 34 minutes, and 29.06 seconds.

The trajectory passes Venus with an RCA of 6354.2 km on October 1, 1975, at 7 hours, 30 minutes, and 30.252 seconds, GMT, and returns to a geocentric radius of 9717.2 km with a hyperbolic excess velocity of .2544 EMOS on June 7, 1976 at 4 hours, 58 minutes, and 27.824 seconds, GMT. A total mission trip time of 365 days, 22 hours, 2 minutes, and 26.6 seconds is required.

CONCLUSIONS

The targeting technique presented here provides a means whereby accurate integrated reference trajectories for flyby or swingby missions can be obtained. For the Venus swingby illustration, the RCA on arrival at Earth was improved by an order of magnitude over that obtained using previous techniques.

IBM 7094 computer time for obtaining the Venus trajectory using this targeting technique was approximately 4.1 hours. The R matrix and increment values were calculated by hand. This, however, reduced computation time by a factor of four over that required for previous techniques. Therefore, the targeting method described in this report allows one to obtain a more desirable trajectory with a considerable reduction in the amount of computer time.

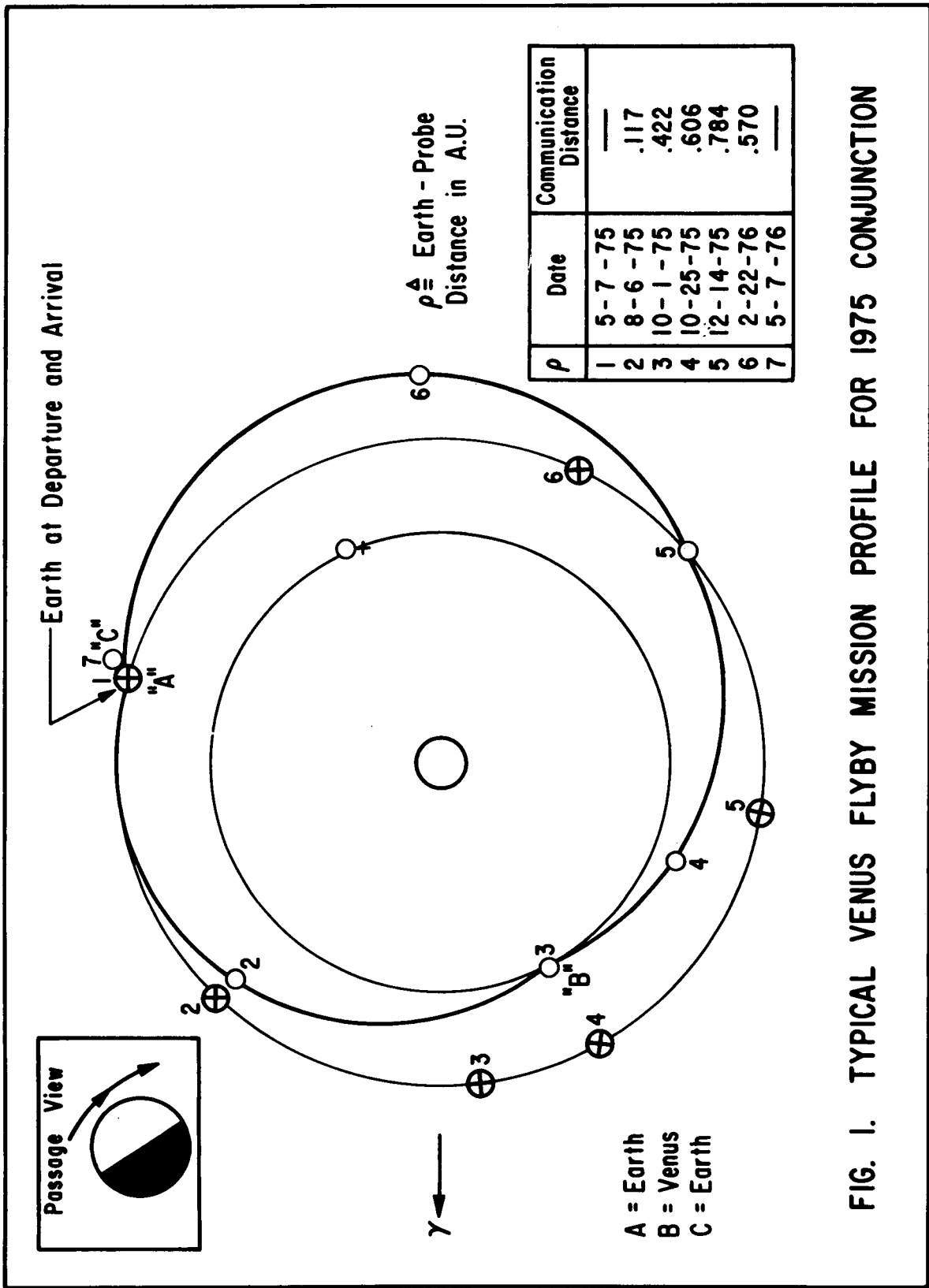


FIG. 1. TYPICAL VENUS FLYBY MISSION PROFILE FOR 1975 CONJUNCTION

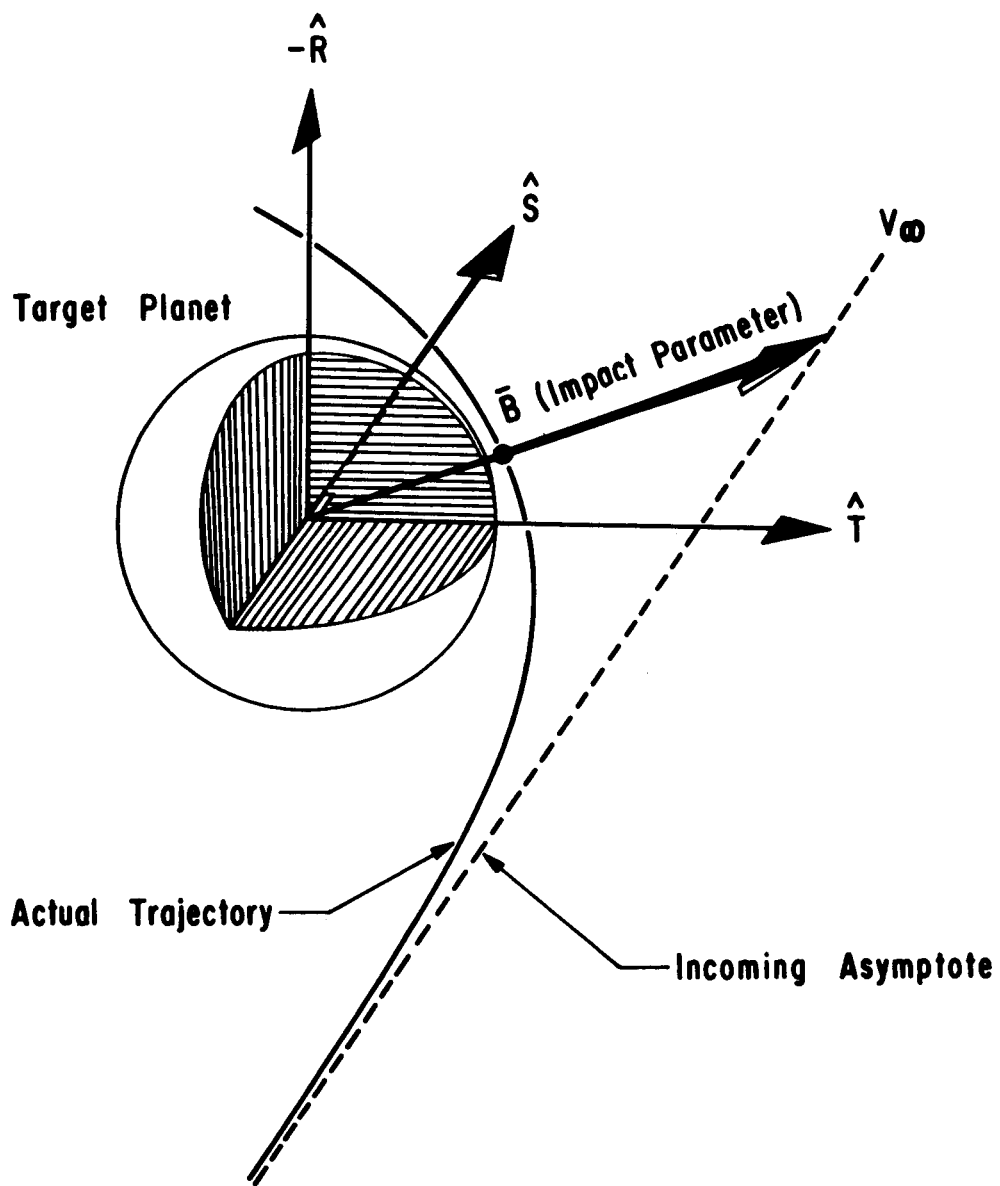


FIG. 2. TARGET SYSTEM RELATIONS

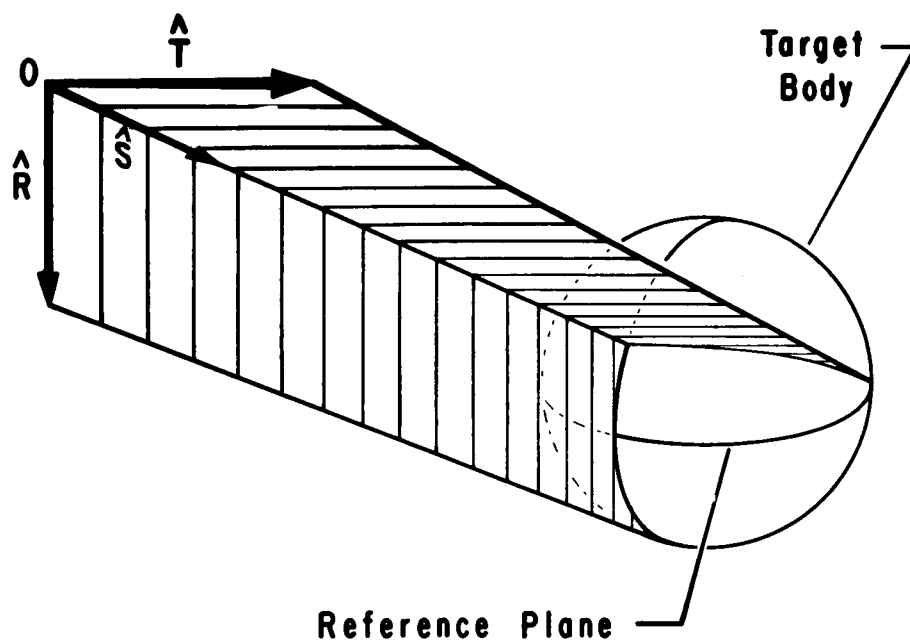


FIG. 3. $\hat{R}, \hat{S}, \hat{T}$ TARGET COORDINATE SYSTEM

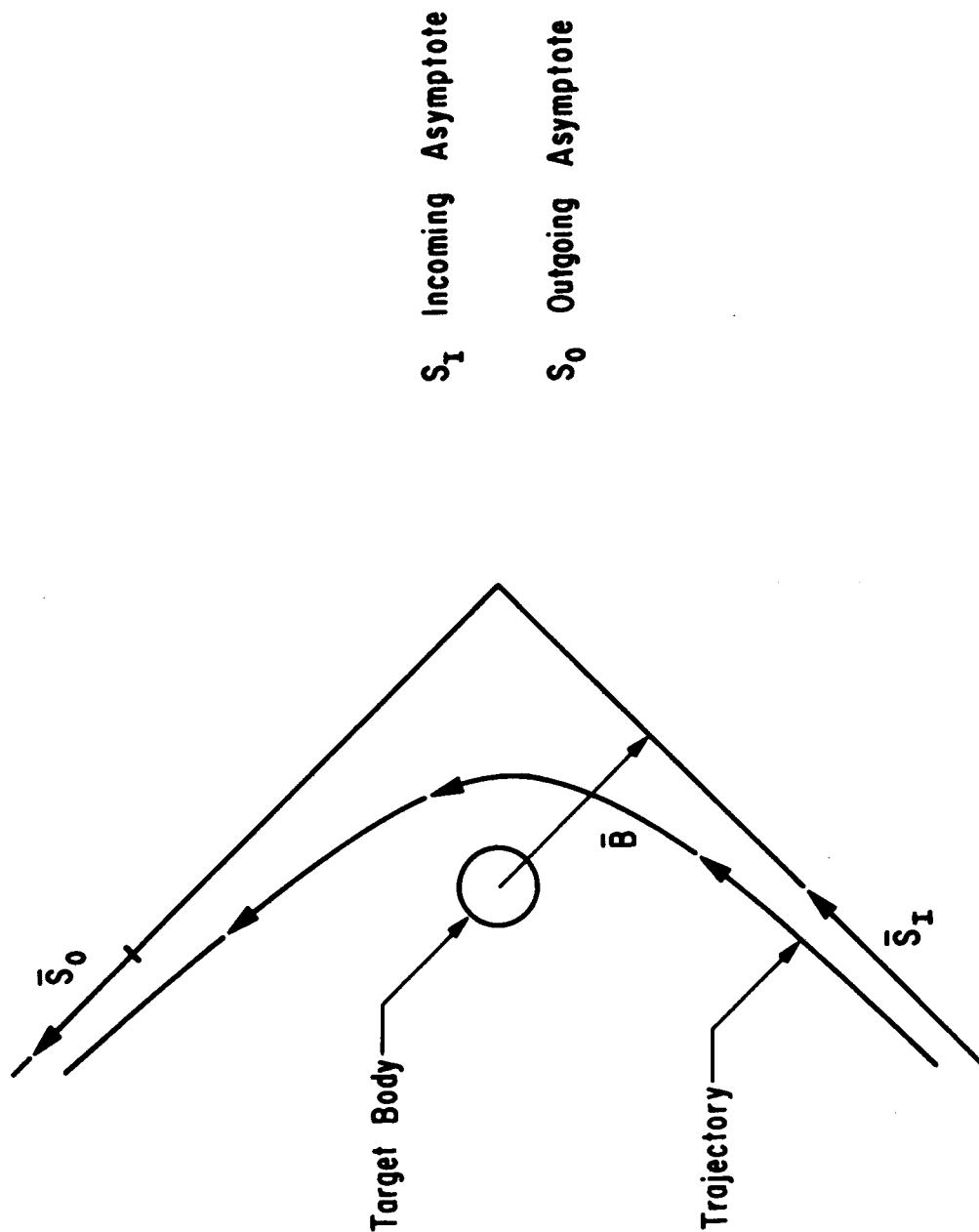


FIG. 4. \bar{B} IMPACT PARAMETER

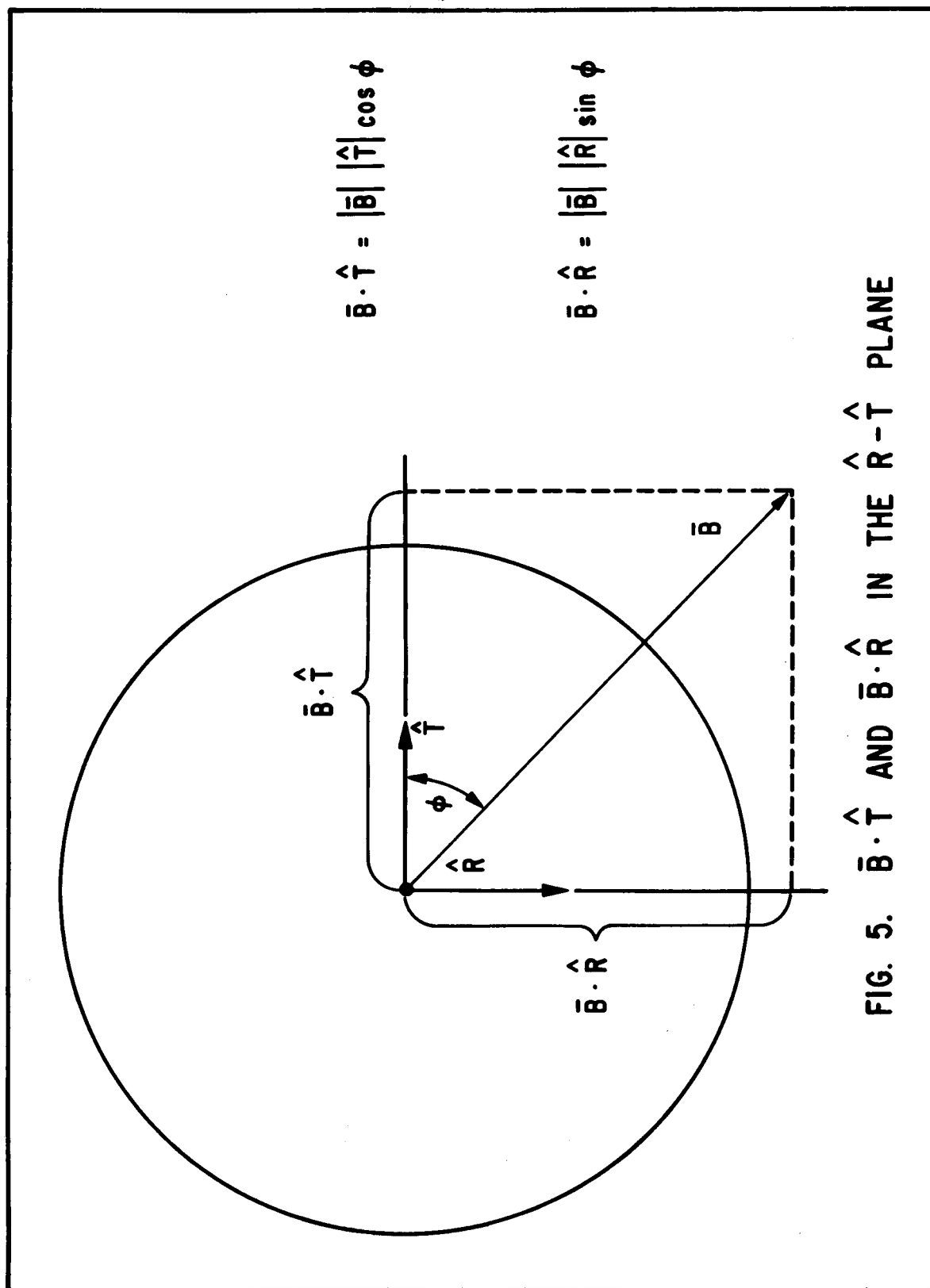
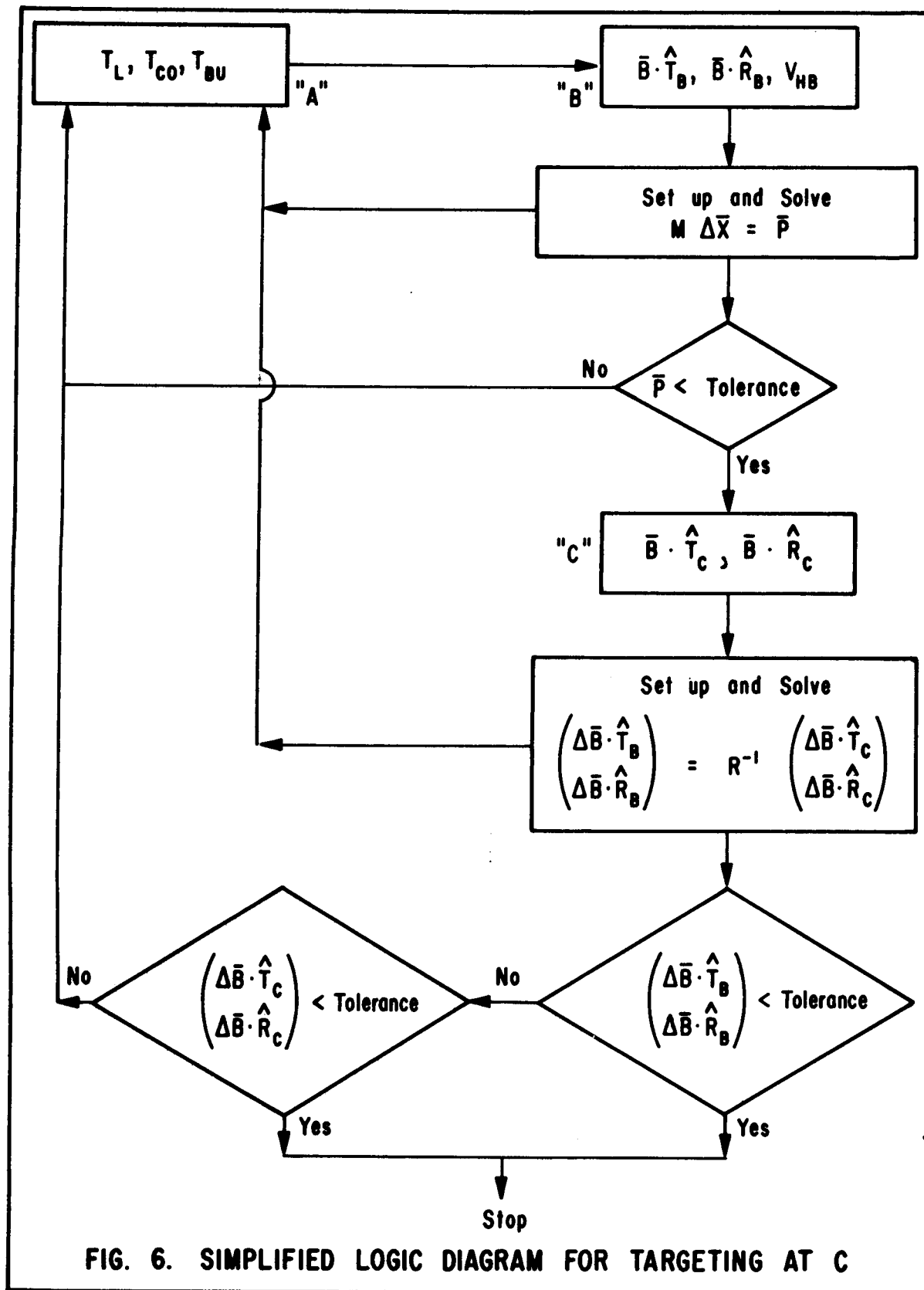


FIG. 5. $\bar{\mathbf{B}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{T}}$ AND $\bar{\mathbf{B}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{R}}$ IN THE $\hat{\mathbf{R}} - \hat{\mathbf{T}}$ PLANE



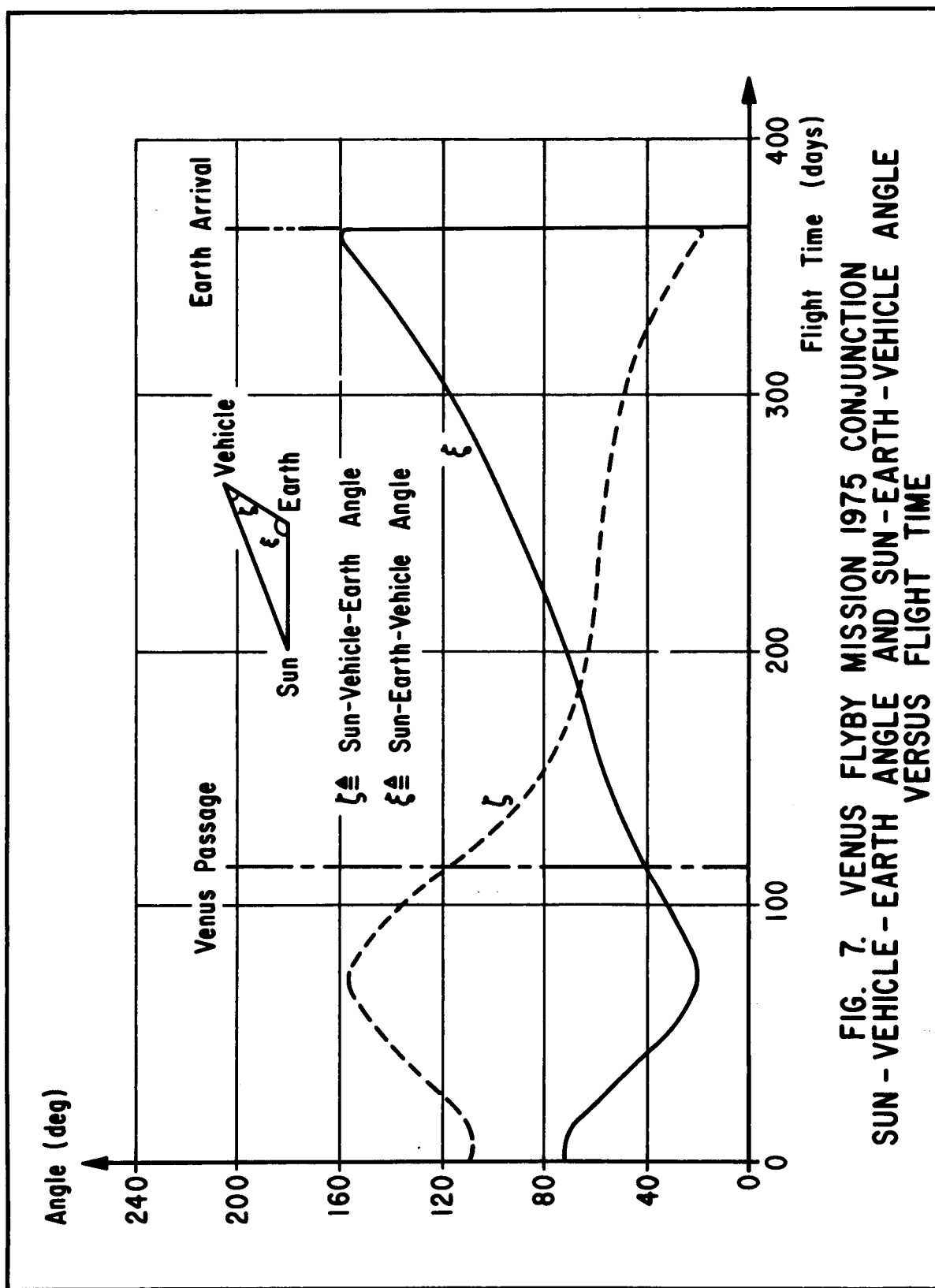


FIG. 7. VENUS FLYBY MISSION 1975 CONJUNCTION
SUN - VEHICLE - EARTH ANGLE AND SUN - EARTH - VEHICLE ANGLE
VERSUS FLIGHT TIME

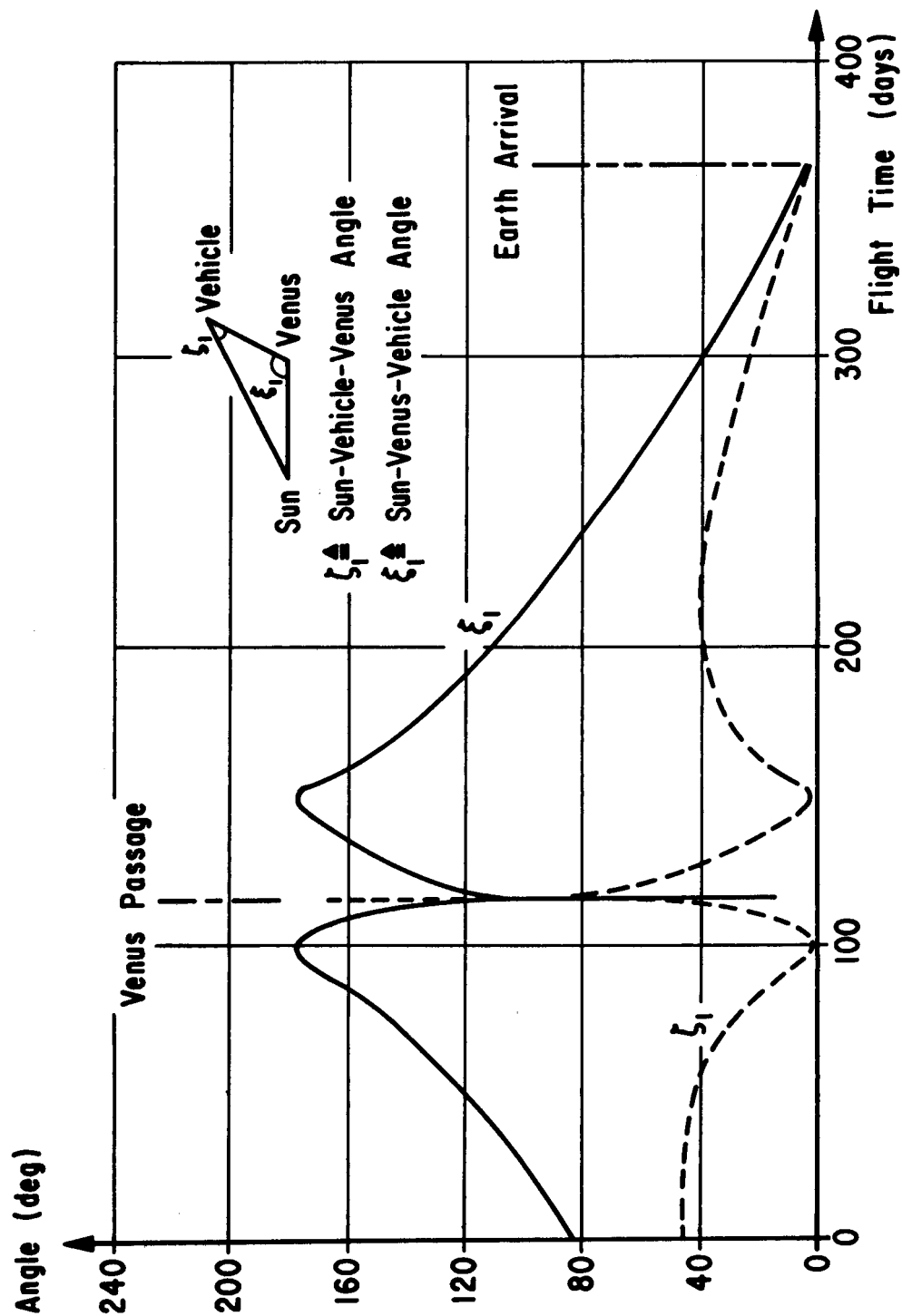


FIG. 8. VENUS FLYBY MISSION 1975 CONJUNCTION
SUN - VEHICLE - VENUS ANGLE AND SUN - VENUS - VEHICLE ANGLE
VERSUS FLIGHT TIME

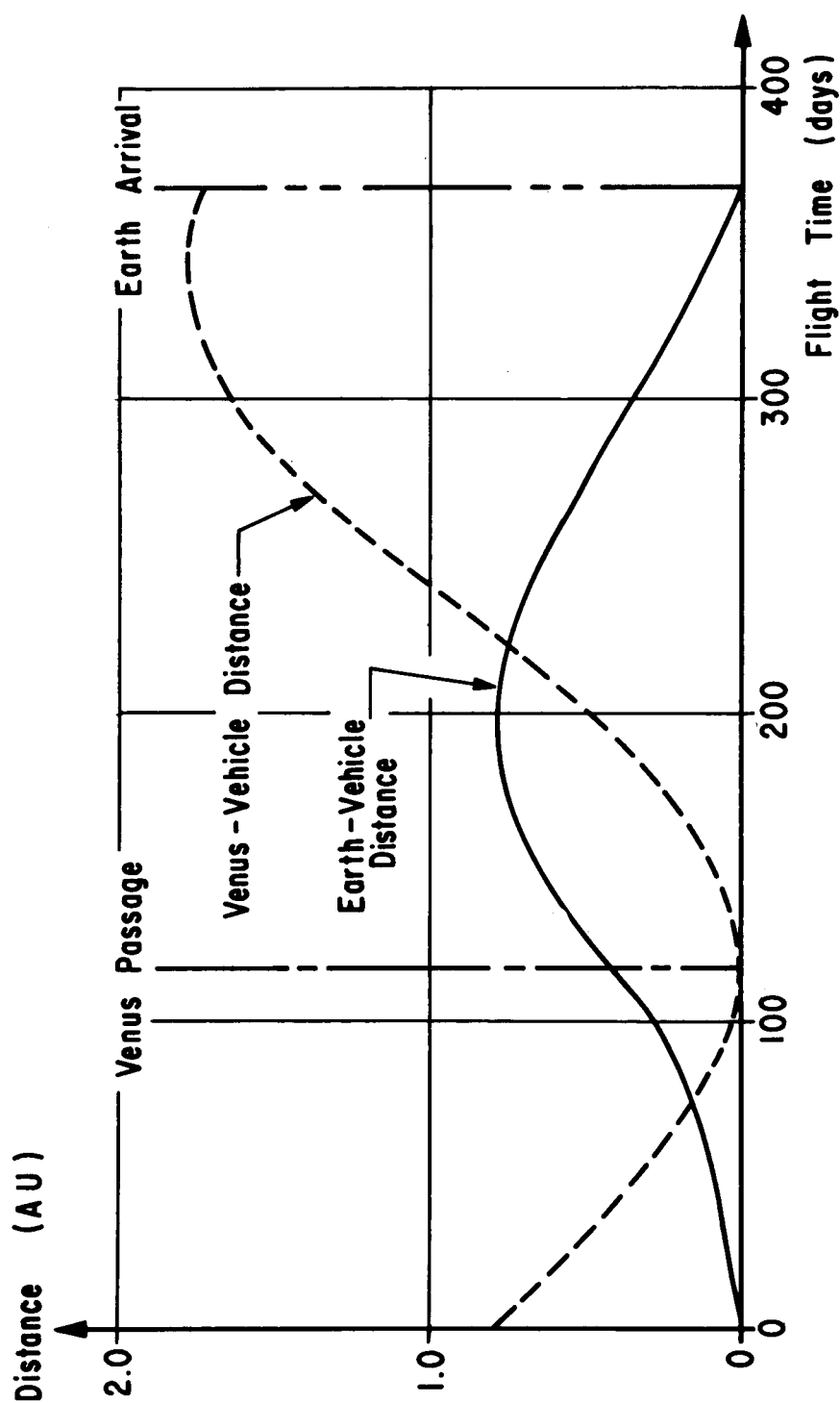


FIG. 9. VENUS FLYBY MISSION 1975 CONJUNCTION
EARTH-VEHICLE DISTANCE AND VENUS-VEHICLE DISTANCE
VERSUS FLIGHT TIME

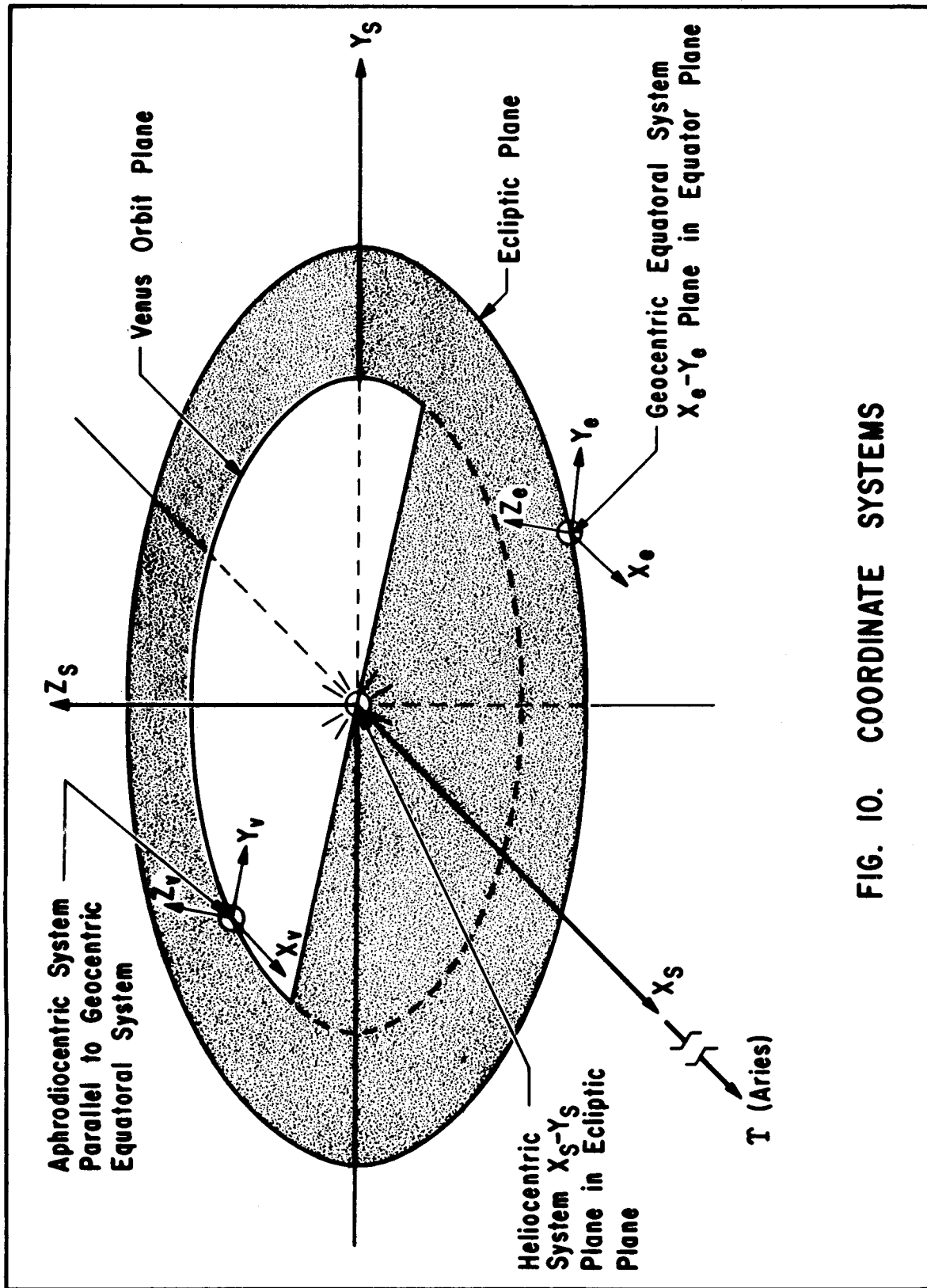


FIG. 10. COORDINATE SYSTEMS

TABLE 1

COMPARISON BETWEEN INTEGRATED AND CONIC CALCULATIONS

	CONIC	INTEGRATED
Launch Date (J. D.)	2442570.0	2442570.5 (Jun 7, 1975)
Earth-Venus Trip Time (days)	117.0	116.0
Hyperbolic Excess Velocity Leaving Earth (EMOS)*	.1086	.1091
Right Ascension of Incoming Asymptote at Venus (deg)	180.140	180.510
Declination of Incoming Asymptote at Venus (deg)	3.771	4.287
Hyperbolic Excess Velocity Approaching and Leaving Venus (EMOS)	0.1554	0.1554
Right Ascension of Outgoing Asymptote at Venus (deg)	91.448	89.042
Declination of Outgoing Asymptote at Venus (deg)	22.193	24.056
Venus-Earth Trip Time (days)	249.4	249.9
Hyperbolic Excess Velocity Arriving Earth (EMOS)	0.2546	0.2544

NOTE: All angles listed above are referenced to aphrodiocentric coordinate system with X_v - Y_v plane parallel to the earth's equatorial plane

*EMOS = Earth Mean Orbital Speed (29.7849 km/sec)

TABLE 2

Tabulated Data Using First R Matrix

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
T_L (sec)	23221.138	23221.138	23221.392		23222.041		23221.754		23221.897
T_{CO} (sec)	818.77031	818.77525	818.75439		818.67252		818.69659		818.68561
T_{BU} (sec)	393.59926	393.59917	393.59964		393.60125		393.60072		393.60097
$T_{F\oplus-Q}$ (days)	116.02469	116.02482	116.02474		116.02385		116.02396		116.02393
$\vec{B} \cdot \hat{T}$ (km)	-14699.955	-14803.894	-14703.172	+867.50	-13835.113	-130.43	-13963.902	+39.73	-13923.027
$\vec{B} \cdot \hat{R}_Q$ (km)	5963.7008	5963.2620	6063.4319	+230.60 (468.89)*	+6294.5922	-107.85	6185.4590	+55.75	+6240.6796
$V(H)_Q$ (km/sec)	4.6292998	4.6293008	4.6293014		4.6293015		4.6292981		4.6292995
$T_{F\oplus-\oplus}$ (days)	368.95452	369.34723	369.08412		365.56653		366.00687		365.89891
$\vec{B} \cdot \hat{T}_\oplus$ (km)	-5699612.7	-6657481.4	-6185185.6		+690325.94		-81221.369		73574.560
$\vec{B} \cdot \hat{R}_\oplus$ (km)	-252162.39	-226600.41	-153139.49		+75061.852		-45535.313		9226.6734
$V(H)_\oplus$ (km/sec)	6.6170573	6.4626176	6.5420835		7.6924048		7.5591120		7.5866815
RCA_\oplus (km)	5696091.9	6651799.8	6177775.0		687691.31		86399.911		67548.257

* Actual calculated value for $\Delta \vec{B} \cdot \hat{T}_B$.

TABLE 2A
Tabulated Data Using Second R Matrix

	1	2	3	4	5	6
T_L (sec)	23221.887	23221.893	23221.912		23221.875	
T_{CO} (sec)	818.68660	818.68713	818.68552		818.68741	
T_{BU} (sec)	393.60093	393.60093	393.60099		393.60093	
$T_F \oplus - \hat{Q}$ (days)	116.02400	116.02398	116.02395		116.02395	
$\bar{B} \cdot \hat{r}_{\hat{Q}}$ (km)	-13943.148	-13953.168	-13942.006	+10.80	-13933.352	.32
$\bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}_{\hat{Q}}$ (km)	6240.2494	6240.3775	6249.3932	- 7.30	6231.1895	1.49
$V(H)_{\hat{Q}}$ (km/sec)	4.6292921	4.6292973	4.6293013		4.6292991	
$T_F \oplus - \hat{\odot}$ (days)	366.00573	366.06384	366.02007		365.91835	
$\bar{B} \cdot \hat{r}_{\hat{\odot}}$ (km)	-114902.54	-211618.18	-144285.35		+15119.884	
$\bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}_{\hat{\odot}}$ (km)	4736.7712	2839.0598	12625.913		-844.93385	
$V(H)_{\hat{\odot}}$ (km/sec)	7.5557355	7.5404456	7.5513546		7.5778970	
$RCA_{\hat{\odot}}$ (km)	108229.78	204742.84	138015.08		9717.2015	

TABLE 2B

Listing of R Matrix Elements

1. First R Matrix

$\partial \downarrow \quad \partial \rightarrow$	$\bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}_Q$	$\bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}_Q$
$\bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}_\oplus$	+9218.57	-4871.73
$\bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}_\oplus$	- 245.93	+ 992.90

2. Second R Matrix

$\partial \downarrow \quad \partial \rightarrow$	$\bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}_Q$	$\bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}_Q$
$\bar{B} \cdot \hat{T}_\oplus$	+9652.26	-3213.41
$\bar{B} \cdot \hat{R}_\oplus$	+ 189.39	862.79

TABLE 3A

THRUSTING TRAJECTORY FOR EARTH ESCAPE

Definition of tabulated trajectory values contained in the thrusting trajectory for Earth escape.

T = time from June 7, 1975 (6 hours, 49 minutes, 27.591 sec)

Line #1 Geocentric Equatorial

X_e	}	Vehicle Cartesian position components. (Coordinate system origin at center of earth, X-axis in direction of earth's of date vernal equinox, X-Y plane is in the earth's equatorial plane) (km)
Y_e		
Z_e		

\dot{X}_e	}	Vehicle Cartesian velocity components measured in same coordinate system as above (km/sec)
\dot{Y}_e		
\dot{Z}_e		

Line #2 Geocentric Equatorial

RE	Radius from center of earth to vehicle (km)
LATE	Geocentric latitude (deg)
LONGE	Geocentric longitude (deg)
VE	Earth-fixed speed of vehicle (km/sec)
PTE	Earth-fixed path angle from the horizontal (deg)
AZE	Earth-fixed azimuth angle from north (deg)

TABLE 3B
THRUSTING TRAJECTORY FOR EARTH ESCAPE

t (sec)	Xe (km) RE (km)	Ye (km) LATE (deg)	Ze (km) LONGE (deg)	\dot{X}_E (km/sec) V_E (km/sec)	\dot{Y}_E (km/sec) PTE (deg)	\dot{Z}_E (km/sec) AZE (deg)
(June 7, 1975 6 hr. 49 min. 27.591) WEIGHT AT START OF INJECTION THRUSTING 634, 230 (lbs) - 287, 680 (kg)						
0	.63484269 04 .68538108 04	-.22454365 04 .10736355 02	.12767967 04 .34310433 03	.28657800 01 .71913981 01	.62360631 01 -.70560975 -01	-.33295904 01 .11810003 03
20	.64046261 04 .68536509 04	-.21191453 04 .10163218 02	.12093464 04 .34419124 03	.27536880 01 .73171902 01	.63932253 01 -.48441408 -01	-.34155367 01 .11829896 03
40	.64585566 04 .68536019 04	-.19897015 04 .95763058 01	.11401719 04 .34529327 03	.26389065 01 .74467379 01	.65513200 01 .17358926 -01	-.35020105 01 .11848779 03
60	.65101638 04 .68537816 04	-.18570854 04 .89754089 01	.10692620 04 .34641102 03	.25213490 01 .75801615 01	.67104845 01 .12658304 00	-.35890864 01 .11866606 03
80	.65593915 04 .68543141 04	-.17212741 04 .83603307 01	.99660390 03 .347545 08 03	.24009231 01 .77176063 01	.68708734 01 .27898761 00	-.36768484 01 .11883324 03
100	.66061810 04 .68553292 04	-.15822412 04 .77308998 01	.92218288 03 .34869605 03	.22775287 01 .78592465 01	.70326608 01 .47432334 00	-.37653914 01 .11898878 03
120	.66504722 04 .68569632 04	-.14399570 04 .70869632 01	.84598235 03 .34986456 03	.21510566 01 .80052894 01	.71960452 01 .71233664 00	-.38548231 01 .11913211 03
140	.66922022 04 .68593591 04	-.12943874 04 .64283930 01	.76798329 03 .35105125 03	.20213863 01 .81559804 01	.73612529 01 .99277140 00	-.39452668 01 .11926260 03
160	.67313055 04 .68626671 04	-.11454931 04 .57550925 01	.68816403 03 .35225678 03	.18883830 01 .83116083 01	.75285441 01 .13153535 01	-.40368634 01 .11937957 03
180	.67677144 04 .68670449 04	-.99322984 03 .50669877 01	.60650004 03 .35348182 03	.17518936 01 .84725128 01	.76982179 01 .16797937 01	-.41297758 01 .11948233 03

t (sec)	Xe (km) RE (km)	Ye (km) LATE (deg)	Ze (km) LONGE (deg)	\dot{X}_e (km/sec) VE (km/sec)	\dot{Y}_e (km/sec) PTE (kn/sec)	\dot{Z}_e (km/sec) AZE (deg)
200	.68013570 04 .68726583 04	-.83754633 03 .43640409 01	.52296303 03 .35472710 03	.16117428 01 .86390933 01	.78706199 01 .20857716 01	-.42241919 01 .11957014 03
220	.68321584 04 .68796816 04	-.67838427 03 .36462478 01	.43752093 03 .35599335 03	.14677268 01 .88118190 01	.80461520 01 .25329287 01	-.43203301 01 .11964219 03
240	.68600389 04 .68882983 04	-.51567643 03 .29136374 01	.35013675 03 .35728136 03	.13196064 01 .89912405 01	.82252807 01 .30208569 01	-.44184441 01 .11969766 03
260	.68849135 04 .68987013 04	-.34934558 03 .21662722 01	.26076810 03 .35859197 03	.11670973 01 .91780075 01	.84085520 01 .35490824 01	-.45188310 01 .11973566 03
280	.69066914 04 .69110941 04	-.17930264 03 .14042544 01	.16936613 03 .35992604 03	.10098591 01 .93728859 01	.85966049 01 .41170493 01	-.46218385 01 .11975525 03
300	.69252740 04 .69256917 04	-.54447131 01 .62771658 00	.75874478 02 .12845384 01	.84747940 00 .95767840 01	.87901922 01 .47240977 01	-.47278763 01 .11975544 03
320	.69405533 04 .69427209 04	.17234764 03 -.16317407 00	-.19772229 02 .26684986 01	.67945521 00 .97907818 01	.89902034 01 .53694379 01	-.48374293 01 .11973518 03
340	.69524105 04 .69624222 04	.35421303 03 -.96821944 00	-.11764982 03 .40790568 01	.50516742 00 .10016171 02	.91976967 01 .60521212 01	-.49510736 01 .11969334 03
360	.69607133 04 .69850503 04	.54031342 03 -.17872052 01	-.21784683 03 .55174860 01	.32384805 00 .10254507 02	.94139370 01 .67709978 01	-.50694992 01 .11962873 03
380	.69653115 04 .70108766 04	.73083857 03 -.26199000 01	-.32046697 03 .69852075 01	.13453624 00 .10507675 02	.96404490 01 .75246751 01	-.51935373 01 .11954007 03
393.60093	.69662356 04 .70304132 04	.86304469 03 -.31938852 01	-.39169912 03 .80008855 01	.62282639-03 .10689470 02	.98012849 01 .80562320 01	-.52816025 01 .11946533 03

END OF INJECTION THRUSTING BURN OUT WEIGHT 264,652 lbs. (120,044 kg)
INJECTED PAYLOAD 172,583 lbs (78,282 kg.)

TABLE 4A
1975 VENUS FLYBY TRAJECTORY

Geocentric

Definition of tabulated trajectory values contained in the Earth Depart trajectory and Earth Return trajectory.

T = time from injection from earth (days)

Line #1 Geocentric Equatorial

$\left. \begin{array}{l} X_e \\ Y_e \\ Z_e \end{array} \right\}$	Vehicle Cartesian position components. (Coordinate system origin at center of earth, X-axis in direction of earth's of-date vernal equinox, X-Y plane of earth's equator) (km)
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$\left. \begin{array}{l} \dot{X}_e \\ \dot{Y}_e \\ \dot{Z}_e \end{array} \right\}$	Vehicle Cartesian velocity components measured in same coordinate system as above (km/sec)
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Line #2 Geocentric Equatorial

R_e LAT_e $LONG_e$ V_e P_{Te} A_{Ze}	Radius from center of earth to spacecraft (km) Geocentric Latitude (deg) Geocentric Longitude (deg) Earth-fixed speed of spacecraft (km/sec) Earth-fixed path angle from the horizontal (deg) Earth-fixed azimuth angle from north (deg)
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Line #3 Heliocentric Ecliptic*

Rs Radius from center of sun of spacecraft (km)

LATs Celestial latitude of spacecraft (deg)

LONGs Celestial longitude of spacecraft (deg)

Vs Inertial speed of spacecraft (km/sec)

PTs Path angle from the normal to the heliocentric
 radius vector (deg)

AZs Azimuth angle from celestial north (deg)

Heliocentric

Definition of tabulated trajectory values contained in the helio-
centric Earth-Venus transfer trajectory and heliocentric Venus-Earth
transfer trajectory.

T = time from injection from earth (days)

Line #1 Heliocentric Ecliptic

Xs } Vehicle Cartesian position components. (Coordinate
Ys } system origin at center of sun, X-axis in direction
Zs } of earth's of-date vernal equinox, X-Y plane in the
 } ecliptic) (km)

\dot{X}_s }
 \dot{Y}_s } Cartesian velocity components measured in same
 \dot{Z}_s } coordinate system as above (km/sec)

Line #2 (Same as Geocentric Line #2)

Line #3 (Same as Geocentric Line #3)

* (Origin of coordinate system at center of sun, X-axis in direction of
earth's of-date vernal equinox, X-Y plane in ecliptic plane.)

Aphrodiocentric

Definition of tabulated trajectory values contained in the Venus passage trajectory.

T = time from injection from earth (days)

Line #1 Aphrodiocentric Earth Equatorial

Xv	}	Vehicle Cartesian position components. (Coordinate system origin at center of Venus, X-axis in the direction of earth's of-date vernal equinox, X-Y plane of earth's equator) (km)
Yv		
Zv		

\dot{X}_v	}	Vehicle Cartesian velocity components measured in same coordinate system as above (km/sec)
\dot{Y}_v		
\dot{Z}_v		

Line #2 (Same as Geocentric Line #2)

Line #3 (Same as Geocentric Line #3)

Line #4 Aphrodiocentric Earth Equatorial*

Rv	Radius from center of Venus to spacecraft (km)
DECv	Declination (deg)
RAv	Right ascension (deg)
Vv	Speed relative to Venus (km/sec)
PTv	Path angle from the horizontal (deg)
AZv	Azimuth angle as referenced to geocentric equatorial coordinate system (deg)

* Reference plane is the earth's equator plane.

TABLE 4B
1975 VENUS FLYBY TRAJECTORY
EARTH DEPART TRAJECTORY

GEOCENTRIC

(June 7, 1975 06 Hrs. 56 Min. 01.192 Sec. GMT)

T (days)	Xe (km) Re (km) Rs (km)	Ye (km) LATe (deg) LATs (deg)	Ze (km) LONGe (deg) LONGs (deg)	Ẋe (km/sec) V̇e (km/sec) V̇s (km/sec)	Ẏe (km/sec) PTe (deg) PTs (deg)	Że (km/sec) AZE (deg) AZs (deg)
0.00	.69662356 04 .70304133 04 .15182600 09	.86304469 03 -.31938852 01 -.42360669-03	-.39169912 03 .80008855 01 ..25593464 03	.62282639-03 .10689470 02 .29737899 02	.98012849 01 .80562320 01 -.12534521 02	-.52816025 01 .11946533 03 .10752994 03
0.25	-.71441215 05 .11028842 06 .15180033 09	.73668543 05 -.21491650 02 -.25203397-01	-.40405890 05 .44812728 02 .25614060 03	-.32260095 01 .79864790 01 .25922636 02	.23708654 01 .31334267 02 -.13724471 01	-.13097760 01 .27191237 03 .94745586 02
0.50	-.13772239 06 .19549469 06 .15178805 09	.12156511 06 -.20004576 02 -.41557431-01	-.66877797 05 .31901143 03 .25635264 03	-.29580272 01 .13567342 02 .26207038 02	.21151271 01 .16261544 02 -.11792390 01	-.11693490 01 .27061013 03 .94188122 02
0.75	-.20024867 06 .27576810 06 .15177659 09	.16606890 06 -.19374952 02 -.56758017-01	-.91485730 05 .23052988 03 .25656631 03	-.28438844 01 .19060829 02 .26329250 02	.20172352 01 .11039754 02 -.11456746 01	-.11155636 01 .27030940 03 .93976206 02
1.00	-.26092146 06 .35362337 06 .15176519 09	.20901925 06 -.19019241 02 -.71430117-01	-.11524079 06 .14125528 03 .25678079 03	-.27791261 01 .24435989 02 .26399493 02	.19641594 01 .83903614 01 -.11534046 01	-.10864601 01 .27018933 03 .93861870 02
2.00	-.49525374 06 .65416922 06 .15171671 09	.37413015 06 -.18411283 02 -.12787992 00	-.20661013 06 .14189863 03 .25764250 03	-.26670476 01 .45279412 02 .26526234 02	.18756732 01 .43315326 01 -.12899538 01	-.10384005 01 .27005579 03 .93673383 02

T (days)	Xe(km) Re(km) Rs(km)	Ye(km) LATe(deg) LATs(deg)	Ze(km) LONGe(deg) LONGs(deg)	Xe(km/sec) Ve(km/sec) Vs(km/sec)	Ye(km/sec) PTe(deg) PTs(deg)	Ze(km/sec) AZe(deg) AZs(deg)
3.00	-.72354784 06 .94686171 06 .15166152 09	.53454200 06 -.18181634 02 -.18279294 00	-.29544965 06 .14152528 03 .25850726 03	-.26224388 01 .65607970 02 .26582421 02	.18414976 01 .29372246 01 -.14690900 01	-.10201688 01 .27002654 03 .93602380 02
4.00	-.94891821 06 .12357698 07 .15159882 09	.69275348 06 -.18060312 02 -.23702122 00	-.38311083 06 .14086467 03 .25937380 03	-.25961976 01 .85679614 02 .26619518 02	.18223360 01 .22261772 01 -.16585304 01	-.10097429 01 .27001552 03 .93563118 02
5.00	-.11723685 07 .15222430 07 .15152834 09	.84962504 06 -.17984775 02 -.29085080 00	-.47001429 06 .14007898 03 .26024174 03	-.25769734 01 -.10558483 03 .26649399 02	.18097642 01 .17933310 01 -.18517061 01	-.10021827 01 .27001030 03 .93536778 02
6.00	-.13943044 07 .18068700 07 .15144999 09	.10055865 07 -.17932164 02 -.34441229 00	-.55631860 06 .13922495 03 .26111095 03	-.25607286 01 .12536428 03 .26676337 02	.18009908 01 .15014873 01 -.20463921 01	-.99568266 00 .27000755 03 .93516740 02
7.00	-.16148986 07 .20899453 07 .15136373 09	.11609110 07 -.17891821 02 -.39777058 00	-.64207467 06 .13832739 03 .26198139 03	-.25457272 01 .14503910 03 .26702255 02	.17949044 01 .12911141 01 -.22416040 01	-.98939244 00 .27000608 03 .93500054 02
8.00	-.18342196 07 .23716333 07 .15126951 09	.13158073 07 -.17857898 02 -.45096751 00	-.72727866 06 .13739879 03 .26285308 03	-.25311720 01 .16462189 03 .26728151 02	.17910229 01 .11321525 01 -.24368313 01	-.98284582 00 .27000535 03 .93485208 02
9.00	-.20522886 07 .26520385 07 .15116735 09	.14704580 07 -.17826756 02 -.50402697 00	-.81189500 06 .13644607 03 .26372609 03	-.25167176 01 .18412141 03 .26754590 02	.17891241 01 .10077594 01 -.26317675 01	-.97576115 00 .27000510 03 .93471332 02

HELIOCENTRIC EARTH-VENUS TRANSFER TRAJECTORY

HELIOCENTRIC

T (days)	Xs (km) Re (km) Rs (km)	Ys (km) LATe(deg) LATs (deg)	Zs (km) LONG e (deg) LONG s (deg)	\dot{X}_s (km/sec) Ve (km/sec) Vs (km/sec)	\dot{Y}_s (km/sec) PT e (deg) PTs (deg)	\dot{Z}_s (km/sec) AZ e (deg) AZ s (deg)
10.00	-.14213856 08 .29312373 07 .15105723 09	-.15037984 09 -.17795992 02 -.55696008 00	-.14683715 07 .13547359 03 .26460046 03	.26707899 02 .20354465 03 .26781921 02	-.11823182 01 .90775945 00 -.28262110 01	-.16004822 01 .27000520 03 .93457910 02
20.00	.89653245 07 .56712456 07 .14952099 09	-.14922537 09 -.17277509 02 -.10798187 01	-.28177670 07 .12504779 03 .27343814 03	.26810802 02 .39501677 03 .27131980 02	.38759117 01 .45405390 00 -.47188880 01	-.15174171 01 .27001322 03 .93306846 02
30.00	.31882347 08 .83590930 07 .14720899 09	-.14365713 09 -.16157940 02 -.15874922 01	-.40781945 07 .11388306 03 .28251304 03	.26095146 02 .58574093 03 .27645538 02	.90211088 01 .30345676 00 -.64659061 01	-.13923831 01 .27002415 03 .93086778 02
40.00	.53807237 08 .11064165 08 .14415561 09	-.13363563 09 -.14279937 02 -.20710226 01	-.52095389 07 .10214641 03 .29193176 03	.24501999 02 .78236258 03 .28329648 02	.14168201 02 .23415767 00 -.80039886 01	-.12178252 01 .27003845 03 .92781297 02
50.00	.73947881 08 .13983996 08 .14041386 09	-.11920457 09 -.11411645 02 -.25173131 01	-.61671574 07 .89949659 02 .30181316 03	.21950138 02 .10002335 04 .29183457 02	.19206412 02 .20784351 00 -.92717913 01	-.98962069 00 .27005444 03 .92382446 02
60.00	.91435880 08 .17452177 08 .13606135 09	-.10052123 09 -.76655494 01 -.29081878 01	-.69031670 07 .77941453 02 .31229021 03	.18346130 02 .12619074 04 .30201841 02	.23980714 02 .20292321 00 -.10207357 02	-.70433664 00 .27006485 03 .91883875 02

T(days)	Xs (km)	Ys (km)	Zs (km)	$\dot{X}s$ (km/sec)	$\dot{Y}s$ (km/sec)	$\dot{Z}s$ (km/sec)
	Re (km)	LAT e(deg)	LONG e(deg)	Ve (km/sec)	PT e(deg)	AZ e(deg)
	Rs (km)	LAT s (deg)	LONG s (deg)	Vs (km/sec)	PT s (deg)	AZ s (deg)
70.00	.10532144 09	-.77903277 08	-.73671710 07	.13597715 02	.28271145 02	-.35980093 00
	.21840828 08	-.34728173 01	.66750985 02	.15900757 04	.20822258 00	.27006748 03
	.13120900 09	-.32187565 01	.32351072 03	.31373316 02	-.10747366 02	.91281575 02
80.00	.11458470 09	-.51894696 08	-.75080457 07	.76406256 01	.31769670 02	.43095707 -01
	.27578748 08	.61763095 00	.56916248 02	.20104911 04	.21569481 00	.27006092 03
	.12601224 09	-.34158126 01	.33563452 03	.32675571 02	-.10827703 02	.90577021 02
90.00	.11817919 09	-.23350536 08	-.72778425 07	.48808911 00	.34061615 02	.49724650 00
	.35000196 08	.40430306 01	.48834391 02	.25440298 04	.21717013 00	.27004713 03
	.12068361 09	-.34573273 01	.34882313 03	.34068740 02	-.10387000 02	.89782760 02
100.00	.11513076 09	.64692155 07	-.66390450 07	-.76892209 01	.34630146 02	.98475266 00
	.44288171 08	.64675410 01	.42533020 02	.32050954 04	.21228569 00	.27002982 03
	.11550333 09	-.32951334 01	.32160769 01	.35487192 02	-.93761814 01	.88930507 02
110.00	.10471665 09	.35833472 08	-.55760287 07	-.16466567 02	.32918694 02	.14723352 01
	.55508998 08	.77400915 01	.37886009 02	.40042880 04	.20130019 00	.27001084 03
	.11081835 09	-.28841592 01	.18890670 02	.36836883 02	-.77847575 01	.88079979 02

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VENUS PASSAGE TRAJECTORY

T (days)	Xv (km)			Yv(km)			Zv(km)			Ẋv (km/sec)			Ẏv (km/sec)			Żv (km/sec)		
	Re (km)	Rs (km)	Rv (km)	LAT e (deg)	LAT s (deg)	DEC v (deg)	LONG e (deg)	LONG s (deg)	RAV (deg)	Ve (km/sec)	Vs (km/sec)	Vv (km/sec)	PTe (deg)	PTs (deg)	PTv (deg)	AZe (deg)	AZs (deg)	AZv(deg)
111.0	.20778284 07	.56733492 08	.11039164 09	.20838922 07	.12000943 05	-.15840341 06	.37505050 02	.20528516 02	.33091839 00	-.47196282 01	.40918564 04	.36964897 02	-.90042302 01	.19989829 00	-.75976334 01	.33039111 00	.27000893 03	.87998234 02
										.47320351 01			-.89160726 02			.24494242 03		
112.0	.16708962 07	.57975832 08	.10997390 09	.16759199 07	.49350415 04	-.12957342 06	.37138358 02	.22178891 02	.16922434 00	-.47017634 01	.41807964 04	.37092261 02	-.73963397 -01	.19846737 00	-.74078976 01	.33687637 00	.27000702 03	.87917472 02
													-.89196155 02			.24527546 03		
113.0	.12650369 07	.59235948 08	.10956527 09	.12689996 07	-.85549191 03	-.10020377 06	.36785762 02	.23841737 02	.35996125 03	-.46953711 01	.42711110 04	.37220375 02	-.60586662 -01	.19703559 00	-.72185886 01	.34289962 00	.27000511 03	.87837750 02
													-.89147855 02			.24559721 03		
114.0	.85902179 06	.60514075 08	.10916558 09	.86191377 06	-.56209414 04	-.70323023 05	.36447231 02	.25517081 02	.35962509 03	-.47073746 01	.43628222 04	.37353611 02	-.50270664 -01	.19568577 00	-.70383536 01	.34884978 00	.27000322 03	.87759025 02
													-.88921459 02			.24584988 03		
115.0	.45024848 06	.61811665 08	.10877348 09	.45211154 06	-.96235684 04	-.39856407 05	.36123348 02	.27205347 02	.35877555 03	-.47710608 01	.44560279 04	.37513108 02	-.42646685 -01	.19478589 00	-.69067068 01	.35752331 00	.27000131 03	.87680702 02
													-.88104726 02			.24602811 03		
115.25	.34676940 06	.62139758 08	.10867603 09	.34840997 06	-.10522390 05	-.32090019 05	.30604498 03	.27629645 02	.35826194 03	-.48142267 01	.44796022 04	.37569500 02	-.40460554 -01	.19484480 00	-.69036580 01	.36194483 00	.27000083 03	.87660795 02
													-.87578612 02			.24608450 03		

T (days)	Xv (km)			Yv (km)			Zv (km)			\dot{X}_v (km/sec)			\dot{Y}_v (km/sec)			\dot{Z}_v (km/sec)		
	Re (km)	Rs (km)	Rv (km)	LATe(deg)	LATs(deg)	DECV(deg)	LONGe(deg)	LONGs(deg)	RAV(deg)	Ve (km/sec)	Vs (km/sec)	Vv (km/sec)	PTe(deg)	PTs(deg)	PTv(deg)	AZe(deg)	AZs(deg)	AZv(deg)
115.50	.24200955 06	.62469988 08	.10857818 09	.24348106 06	-.11359616 05	.79316792 01	-.25416465 01	-.57027921 01	-.24194284 05	-.48955680 01	.45033215 04	.37650729 02	-.36507013-01	.19532377 00	-.69435796 01	.37016260 00	.27000034 00	.87640209 02
												.49096781 01	-.86604697 02			.24618092 03		
115.75	.13444223 06	.62803721 08	.10847872 09	.13592499 06	-.12032998 05	.79318140 01	-.25239854 01	-.67613792 01	-.16003075 05	-.51044849 01	.45272470 04	.37819977 02	-.21723589-01	.19725757 00	-.71241510 01	.39329320 00	.26999983 03	.87617160 02
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EARTH RETURN TRAJECTORY

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